

Easter Sunday

April 20th, 2025

# S t. Mary's Warroad, MN t. Joseph's Williams, MN acred Heart Baudette, MN



## Parish Office



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## Knights of Columbus Council 10235

KC Breakfast every 2nd Sunday of the Month immediately after

Mass in Fellowship Hall (starting in Dec.)

Meetings held 2nd Sunday of the month

after 8:30 am Mass & Breakfast. Meeting held in the St Augustine's Room.

Website: <https://kc10235.mnknight.org>

Donuts, drinks & good fellowship are served the last Sunday of every month following Sunday morning Mass at St. Mary's, Warroad.

## St. Mary's Week Ahead

### St. Mary's Masses & Intentions

**Happy Easter! Many blessings to you & Family**

Saturday, April 19th, No Mass at St. Mary's

Easter Sunday, April 20th, Mass @ 8:30am: Dale Telle  
Sacristan: Harold & Lois Thiessen  
Lector: Harold Thiessen  
Communion: Cup: Deacon Jim & Theresa Thunder  
Body: Nancy Ellenson

Tuesday, April 22nd, Mass @ 5:15pm: Stan Flick

Wednesday, April 23rd,

Come Pray the Rosary @ 10:30am

LAST Religious Education MTG for Year:

4:00pm - 5:30pm: K-6th

- Fun Games

5:30pm: BBQ for Families

5:30pm—6:15pm: Rehearsal for Holy Communion

6:30pm - 7:17pm: Rehearsal for Confirmation

Thursday, April 24th, Mass @ Care Center, 10:30 am

Friday, April 25th, Service @ 9am: Dale Telle

Saturday, April 26th, Mass @ 5pm: Colleen Mongoven

Sacristan: Kris Drees

Lector: Kim Hruba

Communion: Cup: Deacon Jim & Louise Dignan

Body: Nancy Ellenson

Sunday, April 27th, Mass @ 8:30am: Joe Biskup

Sacristan: Harold & Lois Thiessen

Lector: JP Moes

Communion: Cup: Deacon Jim & Renee Kuznia

Body: Mary Marvin

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION—Reception/KoC Meal to follow

2nd collection: Catholic Home Mission Appeal



### St. Mary's Sunday Collection,

**April 13th, 2025**

Adult Envelope: \$1322

Online: \$194

Income to Expenses ratio:

Income: \$21,757.33

Expenses: \$11,710.49

## Sacred Heart's & St. Joseph's Week Ahead

### Sacred Heart Masses & Intentions:

**Happy Easter!!!**

Easter Sunday, April 20th, Mass @ 10:45 am: For our Parishes  
Rosary @ 10:15 am

Wednesday, April 23rd, Mass @ SH, 8:30am

Wednesday, April 23rd, Mass @ Lakewood, 9:30am

Sunday, April 27th, Mass @ 10:45 am: Denise Noga  
Rosary @ 10:15 am

2nd collection: Catholic Home Mission Appeal

### St. Joseph's Masses & Intentions:

Masses at St. Joseph's will start back up on Saturday, May 3rd at 4:30pm

### **Sacred Heart Weekend Offerings**



4/13/2025  
Envelopes  
Plate  
Total

Sacred Heart  
\$1762  
\$200  
\$ 1962

### **Please Hold in Prayer:**



Lyla Pieper, Randy Fortier, Daniel & Gordon Kujava, David Fortier, Ozzy Jo Hentges, Mike Huerd, Connie Fish, Jack Borowicz, Kevin Scharfenkamp, Scott Pieper, Carol LePage, Gordy McDonald, Robert Skluzacek, Marilyn Biondi, Penny Hirst, Sarah Klaas, Carol Birkeland, David Cassi, Clint Gibbons, Larry Sindelir, Joleen Hartman, Curtis Anderson, Leila & Nelson Armagon, Mike Hovde, Hilde Barbot, & Lillian Fortier.



St. Mary's Saturday evening Mass time will change on May 3rd to 6pm.

St. Joseph's in Williams will open again on May 3rd and Mass will be at 4:30 pm.

## Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

"...He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him." (Acts 10:38)  
We can't give what we don't have. Open your heart to receive God's love, mercy and forgiveness. Then, show the same to others. As God's adopted sons and daughters, we are made in His image and likeness. As Pope Benedict XVI says, "we are made for greatness." Let our lives reflect His light to others. Pray to live a grateful and generous life. Strive for greatness! We are made for more! We are made for God!

## Happy Birthday wishes!



(April 20th– April 26th)

Deanna Comstock  
Daphne Ellenson



**St. Mary's Catholic Church in Warroad**  
is inviting you to a Mercy Hour with Bishop Cozzens, **Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 PM.** Mercy Hours are services of healing for marriages and families. Married, single, divorced, widowed – every person belongs to

a family and has a place in this experience. Mercy Hours include exposition/adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, a talk by Bishop Cozzens, prayers and intercessions, music and prayer stations all culminating in an intimate moment of a Eucharistic encounter offered for you as an individual, a couple or as a family. St. Mary's Catholic Church is located at 511 Cedar Ave NW, Warroad. All are welcome.



Reminder: Please return your Lenten CRS Rice Bowls by Easter Sunday if you would like St. Mary's to mail on your behalf. Or you can also send your donation direct to CRS. Thank you for your generosity to those in need this season.

Anyone in the Parish who works directly with our Youth must be current in Safe Environment Certification. Please go to the Diocese's Website to complete training:  
[www.crookston.org/secertification](http://www.crookston.org/secertification)

## A Life of Prayer

Prayer is the place where we live this ongoing relationship with God, and it is essential to authentic discipleship. Every day, each of us needs time to set everything aside, enter into silence, and focus our hearts directly on God. We need to open our hearts to his word and to his Holy Spirit so his truth and love can transform them.

If we do not do this, then we will not be led by him.

The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* makes this clear:

"Prayer is a vital necessity. Proof to the contrary is no less convincing: if we do not allow the spirit to lead us, we fall back into the slavery of sin. How can the Holy Spirit be our life if our heart is far from him?"

If we never spend time alone with him in prayer, our hearts will be far from him.

In our time of personal prayer, we are gradually able to discern his voice speaking to us. We begin to experience how much he loves us. We come to see that he is with us in our sufferings. We learn to surrender to him our difficulties. This is the place where we learn to live his commandment to forgive, to love our enemies. It is the place where we are called to generosity and where he reveals how he wants us to give ourselves. The grace we receive in the sacraments comes alive in prayer and we are able to follow and serve him.

Without prayer, we cannot live as authentic disciples. Without this daily encounter with Jesus Christ, with his truth and his love, we will not grow to become like him. Without daily prayer, we will never overcome our deeper sins and struggles. The encounter with God's love and truth must not remain an event in the past but must be something we seek every day.

Excerpt from "New Life" A pastoral letter for the Diocese of Crookston. Copies are available in the church entrance!

Thank you to the many who made a donation to feeding the people of Malawi this Easter. Your gifts will feed about 200 kids with an Easter meal.  
I truly appreciate your generosity.  
Fr. Christon

**Come as you are, leave as He calls you**

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NCYC BECAUSE HE IS THE GREAT I AM, I CAN BE EXODUS 3:14



In a distinctly Catholic setting, the National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) invites participants to encounter Christ, experience Church, and be empowered for discipleship.

Please respond to Tammi if you or your son/daughter is interested or not, in attending by May 15th. Thank you.

NEW Summer Faith Formation for 1<sup>st</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade – St. Mary's will host Totus Tuus which means "Totally Yours" in Latin.

Camp Times for specific grades:

1st–6th graders: meet July 28th–Aug 1st: 9:00am–2:30pm each day (includes snack/students bring sack lunch)

7th–12th graders: meet July 27th–31st: 5:30pm–8:15pm (includes dinner)

Early Bird Registration is 1- 31 April 25, fee is \$40 per student which includes t-shirt. After April 31st the fee is \$50. The fee covers the cost of the team, snacks, evening meals for team/teen dinners, extra games, and t-shirt. We have 90 elementary age (1st-6th) spots open for Warroad, Baudette, Roseau. Please do not let costs deter you from signing up; we do have scholarships, please see Tammi.

We will need volunteers to help (ages 16 and up). We need one more host family if you are able.

Volunteer Information Meeting on Wednesday, May 14th @ 5:30pm

## Save the Date

St. Mary's Youth Mission Trip

## DINE FOR A CAUSE

### Dress your Best

May 18, 2025  
5:30pm Social Hour/Music

6:00pm Dinner  
Location: The Nest

4 Course Meal  
Catered by the Hawk

\$80/Person \$150/Couple  
Only 100 **96 Tickets Available**



### St Mary's WHAT'S AROUND THE CORNER...

Apr 23rd: End of Year Family Faith Night  
Games start at 4pm-5:30 for K-6th; Family meal/BBQ for all @ 5:30pm-6:30pm  
5:30pm: Rehearsal for 2nd Grade First Holy Communion  
6:30pm: Rehearsal for Confirmation  
Apr 27th @ 8:30am—First Holy Communion Mass  
May 4th @ 8:00am: Confirmation Mass  
May 4th @ 3pm: Mercy Hour Adoration  
May 7th @ 5pm: RE Teacher's Meeting  
May 7th: Honors Banquet at Church  
May 14th @ 5:30pm: Totus Tuus Volunteer Meeting  
May 18th @ 8:30am—Graduation Mass